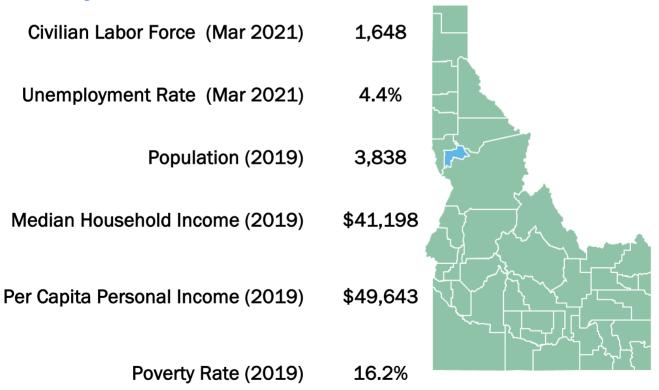


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Lewis County Economic Overview



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1. County Demographic Characteristics, 2019

	Lewis County	Lewis County (%)	State of Idaho (%)	United States (%)	
Total Population	3,838	100.0%	1,717,750	324,697,795	
Race and Ethnicity					
White alone, not hispanic	3,217	83.8%	82.0%	60.7%	
Black or African American alone, not hispanic	5	0.1%	0.7%	12.3%	
Native American alone, not hispanic	297	7.7%	1.1%	0.7%	
Asian alone, not hispanic	53	1.4%	1.3%	5.5%	
Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)	175	4.6%	12.5%	18.0%	
Gender					
Male	1,900	49.5%	50.1%	49.2%	
Female	1,938	50.5%	49.9%	50.8%	
Age					
Median age	48.6	-	40.3	38.1	
Under 18 years	868	22.6%	25.7%	22.6%	
Over 18 years	2,970	77.4%	74.3%	77.4%	
21 years and over	2,871	74.8%	70.2%	73.3%	
Over 65 years	947	24.7%	15.4%	15.6%	
Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and Over)					
Less than 9th grade	106	2.8%	2.2%	3.5%	
High school graduate (with equivalencies)	805	21.0%	17.8%	18.3%	
Some college, no degree	841	21.9%	16.9%	13.9%	
Associate's degree	271	7.1%	6.4%	5.8%	
Bachelor's degree	354	9.2%	12.1%	13.4%	
Graduate or professional degree	132	3.4%	5.8%	8.4%	
Median Household Income	\$41,198	-	\$56,605	\$62,843	

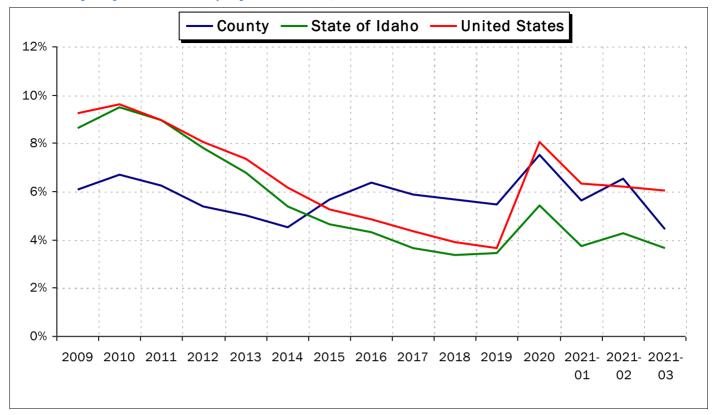
Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 2019 5-Year Estimates

2. Labor Force

	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
March 2021	1,648	1,575	73	4.4%
March 2020	1,684	1,609	75	4.5%

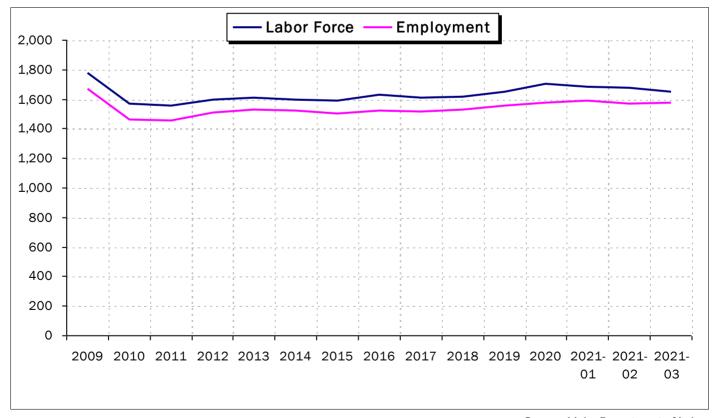
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3. Seasonally-Adjusted Unemployment Rate, 2009 - Current



Source: Idaho Department of Labor

4. Seasonally-Adjusted Labor Force and Employment, 2009 - Current



Source: Idaho Department of Labor

5. Industry Employment and Wages - 2010, 2019 and 2020

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Supersector	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages
Total Covered Wages	1,370	\$25,628	1,666	\$33,312	1,487	\$33,643
Agriculture	75	\$35,026	123	\$45,314	126	\$46,434
Natural Resources and Mining	0		0		0	
Construction	55	\$26,304	87	\$34,995	83	\$39,923
Manufacturing	178	\$31,298	225	\$38,132	169	\$38,793
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	346	\$25,142	342	\$31,756	325	\$33,369
Information	0		20	\$31,402	0	\$0
Financial Activities	41	\$30,601	63	\$54,714	67	\$59,403
Professional and Business Services	17	\$30,312	68	\$40,485	73	\$49,821
Education and Health Services	353	\$22,706	374	\$25,152	349	\$25,668
Leisure and Hospitality	141	\$16,510	153	\$16,753	71	\$6,750
Other Services	16	\$12,761	32	\$12,234	42	\$15,492
Government	148	\$30,065	179	\$46,086	182	\$47,295

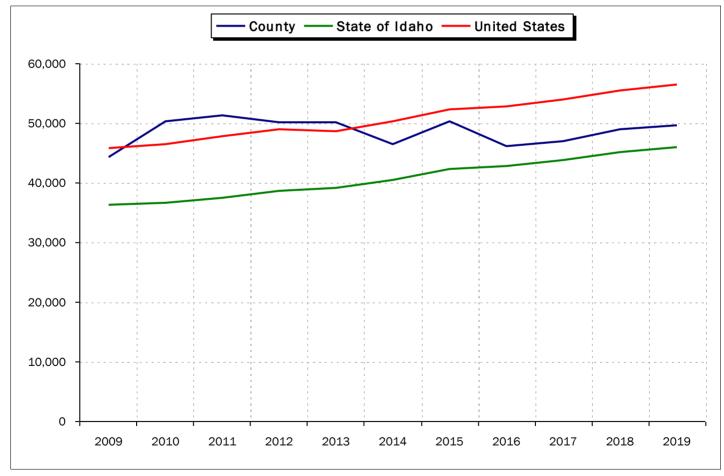
Source: Idaho Department of Labor

6. Top Employers, 2020

Employer	Ownership	Range
Empire Lumber Co.	Private	100 - 249
Kamiah Joint School District	Local Gov	50 - 99
Lakeside Residential Care	Private	50 - 99
Cloninger's	Private	50 - 99
Nez Perce Tribal Enterprise	Local Gov	50 - 99
Alternative Nursing Services Inc	Private	50 - 99
U.s. Forest Service	Federal Gov	50 - 99
Nezperce Joint School District	Local Gov	10 - 49
Freedom Northwest Credit Union	Private	10 - 49
Highland Joint School District	Local Gov	10 - 49

NOTE: Only employers that have given the Department permission to release employment range data are listed. Source: Idaho Department of Labor

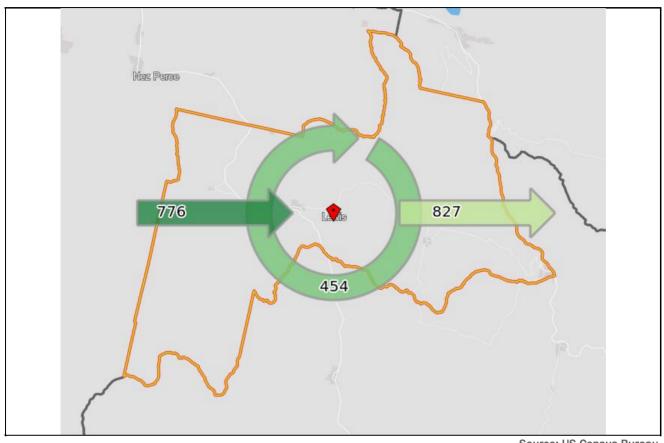
7. Real Per Capita Income, 2009 - 2019



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2018

It is estimated that 454 workers lived and worked in Lewis County in 2018. Another 776 workers were employed in Lewis County but lived outside, while 827 workers commuted to other counties for work.



Source: US Census Bureau

9. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Work in Lewis County Live, 2018

City of Residence	All Jobs	Percentage
Kamiah	150	12.2%
Lewiston	85	6.9%
Craigmont	64	5.2%
Nezperce	48	3.9%
Winchester	41	3.3%
Kooskia	38	3.1%
Grangeville	32	2.6%
Moscow	19	1.5%
Orofino	13	1.1%
Stites	13	1.1%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau

10. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Live in Lewis County Work, 2018

City of Employment	All Jobs	Percentage
Kamiah	167	13.0%
Lewiston	150	11.7%
Nezperce	132	10.3%
Craigmont	69	5.4%
Boise City	50	3.9%
Winchester	42	3.3%
Orofino	40	3.1%
Lapwai	35	2.7%
Cottonwood	34	2.7%
Moscow	24	1.9%
Grangeville	24	1.9%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau

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